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SUBJECT: LIBREVILLE - POST ENDORSES FY2009 SECTION 1206

PROPOSAL

11. (SBU) Post fully endorses the FY2009 proposal for Section 1206 funding for Gabon and Sao Tome (STP) that was submitted by EUCOM. The funding is for Peace Support Operations training that are in keeping with Post's mission objectives. This training force will deploy to the Gulf of Guinea as part of NAVEUR's Africa Partnership Station aboard the USS Nashville, from January to June 2009. This focused training will increase the operational capacity and interpretability of those forces to support international Peace Support Operations in Africa.

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